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SUBJ: VICE PRESIDENT MONDALE VISIT TO VIENNA: MIDDLE EAST

1. CHARGE CALLED ON CHANCELLOR KREISKY MAY 11 TO DISCUSS ARRANGEMENTS AND SUBSTANTIVE ASPECTS OF VICE PRESIDENT MONDALE'S VISIT.

2. ON THE MIDDLE EAST, KREISKY SAID PRESIDENT SADAT HAD TOLD HIM DURING HIS RECENT VISIT TO EGYPT THAT HE WAS INTERESTED IN INVITING A GROUP OF WORLD JEWISH LEADERS TO MEET WITH HIM IN EGYPT. KREISKY MENTIONED THE FOLLOWING NAMES AS POSSIBLE MEMBERS OF THE GROUP: RABBI SCHINDLER AND KLOTZKY (PHON.) FROM THE U.S., LORD GOODMAN AND SEEVES (PHON.) FROM THE UK, AND ELI ROTHSCHILD FROM FRANCE. IN ADDITION, KREISKY SAID, A PROMINENT JEWISH PERSONALITY FROM THE GERMAN-SPEAKING AREA WOULD ALSO BE INCLUDED.

3. IT WAS NOT CLEAR FROM KREISKY'S REMARKS HOW FAR THE SADAT IDEA HAS PROGRESSED, THAT IS WHETHER INVITATIONS HAVE BEEN ACTUALLY EXTENDED, AND HOW. KREISKY REMARKED, HOWEVER, THAT IT WOULD PROBABLY BE WELL TO GET THE ISRAELI ELECTIONS OUT OF THE WAY BEFORE PROCEEDING, AT LEAST PUBLICLY.

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4. KREISKY CLEARLY ATTRIBUTES IMPORTANCE TO SADAT'S INITIATIVE AND WILL, WE IMAGINE, WISH TO DISCUSS IT FURTHER WITH THE VICE PRESIDENT. MEEHAN

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